

Integrating NDT, SI and Motor Learning Perspectives in Pediatrics



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Faculty

Kim Westhoff is a passionate presenter who offers practical concepts and intervention approach to be readily applied in multiple settings with applicable information for the whole team. She brings a wealth of experience having practiced in a variety of settings including, but not limited to hospital outpatient & specialty clinics, private clinics, schools, community environments, and currently a private home & clinic-based practice. Her expertise includes innovative services to infants through young adults along with their families who experience physical, sensory, learning, emotional and behavioral challenges. She is a recognized educator both nationally and internationally and had presented a variety of educational seminars for occupational & physical therapist, speech anthropologists, families, educators, and physicians. She is a Pediatric OT instructor for NDTA and is an active member within the NDTA Instructor group.

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About this Course

Do you ever wonder where to begin with your clients that have many needs? What is the leading area of concern? Why does it seem my treatments aren't as effective as I anticipated? This workshop will **enhance critical thinking skills** and **hands-on skills** to facilitate therapists in using a problem-solving approach when treating children with complicated developmental challenges. Focus during the workshop will utilize critical thinking skills for evaluation and assessment from a neurodevelopmental, sensory and motor learning aspect. Using this approach will assist therapists in setting realistic and measurable goals that will drive treatment sessions resulting in more effective intervention.

Objectives

- 1 Identify key aspects of development in the context of typical movement and sensation related to a designated task.
- 2 Create a functional goal for a designated task applying current concepts learned from an NDT, SI, and motor learning aspect.
- 3 Apply critical thinking to design a prioritized approach that identifies top areas to be addressed in treatment.
- 4 Using a systematic approach describe a treatment plan based on functional goal.
- 5 Design three intervention steps to execute in treatment.

Audience

This course is designed for Occupational Therapists, Occupational Therapy Assistants, Physical Therapists, Physical Therapist Assistants, Speech Therapists working with infants through young adolescence. Course content is not intended for use by participants outside their scope of practice, license or regulations.

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Schedule – Day 1

- 7:30-8:00** Registration/Continental Breakfast
- 8:00-12:00** Multi-Theoretical Approach
- Theories
 - Systems model
 - Assessing to achieve participation
- 12:00-1:00** Lunch (on your own)
- 1:00-2:00** NDT Concepts
- Practical critical thinking skills
 - Application goal setting
 - Typical aspects of goal
- 2:00-5:00** LAB: Handling applications to children with neuromotor, developmental and sensory processing challenges within different settings (home, school, clinic).
- Center of mass
 - Base of support
 - Fluidity of movement

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Schedule – Day 2

- 7:30-8:00** Continental Breakfast
- 8:00-10:00** Sensory LAB and Lecture: Neurodevelopmental Treatment Concepts
- Assessment and Treatment Planning and Intervention
 - Movement analysis & systems assessment
 - Treatment intervention
 - Facilitation
- 10:00-12:00** Assessment, Treatment LAB and Lecture: Sensory Processing & Integration Concepts
- Assessment and Treatment Planning and Intervention
 - Vestibular
 - Somatosensory
 - Proprioception
 - Visual
 - Auditory
 - Applications to children with neuromotor, developmental & sensory processing challenges within different settings (home, school, clinic)
- 12:00-1:00** Lunch (on your own)
- 1:00-3:00** Case Presentation: Video problem-solving LAB - application, incorporating motor learning perspectives

Day 1: Will include two 15-minute breaks

Day 2: Will include one 15-minute break

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June 6-7	Las Vegas, NV	Summerlin Hospital Medical Center
Oct 2-3	Springfield, VA	Exceptional Children's Center



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